



# color block sweater

## WHAT YOU'LL NEED

MEASUREMENTS	XS	S	M	L	XL	
To Fit Bust	ins	28	32	36	40	44
	cm	71	81	91	101	111
Actual Size	ins	32	36	40	44	48
	cm	81	91	101	111	121
Length (approx)	ins	22½	23	23	23½	23½
	cm	57	58	58	60	60
Sleeve Length (approx)	ins	17	17	17	17	17
	cm	43	43	43	43	43

## MATERIALS

AUSTRALIAN SUPERFINE MERINO BY CLECKHEATON	
8 PLY 65g/2.3oz balls	
1st Color ( <b>C1</b> - 26 Dune)	4      5      6      6      7
2nd Color ( <b>C2</b> - 53 Cream)	4      4      4      5      5
3rd Color ( <b>C3</b> - 21 Cardboard)	3      3      3      4      4

Use only the yarn specified. Other yarns are likely to produce different results.

Quantities are approximate as they can vary between crochet workers.

Check all yarn of the same color is from the same dye lot.

## HOOKS AND EXTRAS

- one each size 7 (4.5mm) and H-8 (5mm) crochet hooks or size needed to give correct gauge.
- yarn needle for sewing seams.

## GAUGE

5 patts and 10 rows to 4" (10cm) over patt, using larger hook. To check your gauge, using larger hook, make 36ch.

**1st row** - Skip 3ch, 1dc in next ch, skip 3ch, \* 3dc in next ch, skip 3ch, rep from \* to last ch, 2dc in last ch.

Work 2nd and 3rd rows of patt as for Back for 6" (15cm).

Fasten off.

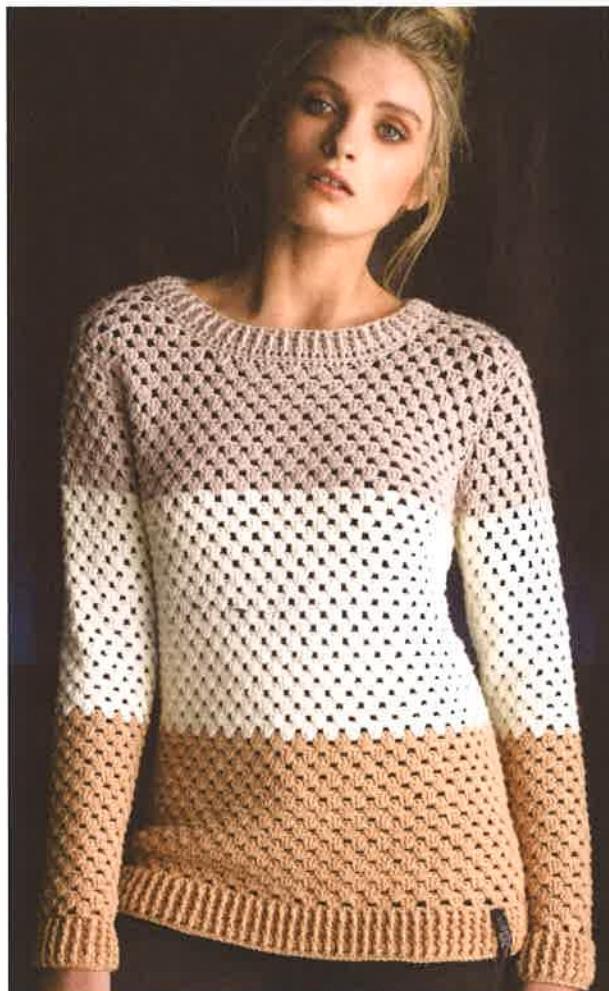
Check your gauge carefully. If less patts to 4" (10cm) use a smaller hook, if more patts use a larger hook.

## SPECIAL ABBREVIATIONS

**BPdc** = 1dc around stem of next dc, inserting hook from **back** of work.

**FPdc** = 1dc around stem of next dc, inserting hook from **front** of work.

**group** = 3dc.



AUSTRALIAN  
**SUPERFINE**  
MERINO

*by* Cleckheaton

GROWN IN AUSTRALIA AND MADE BY:

Wangaratta Woollen Mills

Want to know more about where our wool comes from? Scan the code to go to [cleckheatonsuperfine.com.au/our-story](http://cleckheatonsuperfine.com.au/our-story)



**BACK**

Using smaller hook and **C1**, make **83** (91-**107**) 115-**131**) ch.

**BEG BAND -**

**1st row** - Skip 3ch, 1dc in each ch to end ... **81** (89-**105**-113-**129**) dc, counting turning ch as 1dc.

**2nd row** - 2ch, skip first dc, **BPdc**, \* **FPdc**, **BPdc**, rep from \* to turning ch, 1dc in turning ch.

**3rd row** - 2ch, skip first dc, **FPdc**, \* **BPdc**, **FPdc**, rep from \* to turning ch, 1dc in turning ch.

Rep 2nd and 3rd rows once, then 2nd row once ... 6 rows band in all.

Change to larger hook.

**BEG PATT -**

**1st row** - (1sc, 1ch, 1dc) in first dc, \* skip 3dc, **group** in next dc, rep from \* to last 4 sts, skip 3dc, 2dc in turning ch.

**2nd row** - (1sc, 1ch) in first dc, skip 1dc, **group** in sp before next dc, \* skip 3dc, **group** in sp before next dc, rep from \* to last 2 sts, skip 1dc, 1dc in turning ch ... **20** (22-**26**-28-**32**) groups.

**3rd row** - (1sc, 1ch, 1dc) in first dc, \* skip 3dc, **group** in sp before next dc, rep from \* to last group, skip 3dc, 2dc in turning ch.

Last 2 rows form patt.

Work a further 13 rows patt.

**Note** - When changing color, use new color to work final lp of last st in old color.

Change to **C2**.

Work a further 19 rows. Fasten off.

**SHAPE ARMHOLES -**

**1st row** (wrong side) - Using **C3** for rem, join with a sl st in **2nd** (2nd-**5th**-8th-**8th**) dc, (1sc, 1ch) in sp before next dc, skip 3dc, **group** in sp before next dc, patt to last **5** (5-**8**-11-11) sts, skip 3dc, 1dc in sp before next dc, **turn**.

**2nd row** - (1sc, 1ch) in first dc, skip 3dc, **group** in sp before next dc, patt to last group, skip 3dc, 1dc in turning ch, **turn**. Rep 2nd row **1** (1-1-1-3) times ... **16** (18-**20**-20-**22**) groups.

**Next row** - (1sc, 1ch, 1dc) in first dc, \* skip 3dc, **group** in sp before next dc, rep from \* to last group, skip 3dc, 2dc in turning ch. Work **13** (15-15-17-15) rows without shaping.

**SHAPE BACK NECK AND SHOULDERS -**

**Next row** - (1sc, 1ch, 1dc) in first dc, (skip 3dc, **group** in sp before next dc) **1** (2-2-2-3) times, skip 3dc, 2dc in sp before next dc.

Fasten off.

Skip center **12** (12-**14**-14-**14**) groups and join **C3** with a sl st in sp before next group.

**Next row** - (1sc, 1ch, 1dc) in same sp as sl st, (skip 3dc, **group** in sp before next dc) **1** (2-2-2-3) times, skip 3dc, 2dc in turning ch. Fasten off.

**FRONT**

Work as for Back until there are 7 rows fewer worked than Back to beg of neck and shoulder shaping.

**SHAPE NECK -**

**1st row** (wrong side) - (1sc, 1ch) in first dc, skip 1dc, (**group** in sp before next dc, skip 3dc) **4** (5-5-6) times, 1dc in sp before next dc, **turn**.

**2nd row** - (1sc, 1ch) in first dc, skip 3dc, **group** in sp before next dc, patt to end.

**3rd row** - Patt to last 3dc, skip 3dc, 1dc in turning ch, **turn**.

Rep 2nd and 3rd rows once ... **2** (3-3-3-4) groups.

**6th row** - (1sc, 1ch, 1dc) in first dc, skip 3dc, **group** in sp before next dc, patt to end.

Work 2 rows without shaping.

Fasten off.

With wrong side facing, skip next **7** (7-9-9-9) groups and join **C3** with a sl st in sp before next dc.

**1st row** - (1sc, 1ch) in same sp as sl st, skip 3dc, **group** in sp before next dc, patt to end.

**2nd row** - Patt to last 3dc, skip 3dc, 1dc in turning ch, **turn**.

**3rd row** - (1sc, 1ch) in first dc, skip 3dc, **group** in sp before next dc, patt to end. Rep 2nd and 3rd rows once ... **2** (3-3-3-4) groups.

**6th row** - Patt to last 4 sts, skip 3dc, 2dc in turning ch.

Work 2 rows without shaping.

Fasten off.

**SLEEVES**

Using smaller hook and **C1**, make **43** (43-**47**-47-**49**) ch.

**BEG BAND -**

Work 6 rows band patt as for Back, noting there will be **41** (41-45-45-47) dc after first row. Change to larger hook.

**BEG PATT -**

**1st row** - (1sc, 1ch, 1dc) in first dc, \* skip 3dc, **group** in next dc, rep from \* to last 4 sts, skip 3dc, 2dc in turning ch.

**2nd row** - (1sc, 1ch) in first dc, skip 1dc, **group** in sp before next dc, \* skip 3dc, **group** in sp before next dc, rep from \* to last 2 sts, skip 1dc, 1dc in turning ch ... **10** (10-11-11-12) groups.

**\*\* 3rd row** - (1sc, 1ch, 2dc) in first dc, \* skip 3dc, **group** in sp before next dc, rep from \* to last group, skip 3dc, 3dc in turning ch.

**4th row** - (1sc, 1ch, 1dc) in first dc, skip 2dc, **group** in sp before next dc, patt to last 3 sts, skip 2dc, 2dc in turning ch.

**5th row** - As 2nd row ... **11** (11-12-12-13) groups. Work **6** (2-2-0-0) rows without shaping. **\*\***

**Note** - Change to **C2** when 19 rows of patt have been worked.

Rep from **\*\*** to **\*\* 1** (1-1-0-0) times ... **12** (12-13-12-13) groups.

**\*\*\*** Rep rows 3 to 5 once.

Work **8** (4-4-2-2) rows without shaping. **\*\*\***

Rep from **\*\*\*** to **\*\*\* 0** (2-2-5-5) times, then rep rows 3 to 5 once ... **14** (16-17-19-20) groups.

Work **4** (2-2-0-0) rows without shaping.

Fasten off.

**SHAPE TOP -**

**1st row** - Using **C3** for rem, join with a sl st in **1st** (1st-1st-4th-7th) dc, (1sc, 1ch) in sp before next dc, skip 3dc, **group** in sp before next dc, patt to last **4** (4-4-7-10) sts, skip 3dc, 1dc in sp before next dc, **turn**.

**2nd row** - (1sc, 1ch) in first dc, skip 3dc, **group** in sp before next dc, patt to last group, skip 3dc, 1dc in turning ch.

Rep last row until 6 groups rem.

Fasten off.

**NECKBAND**

Using a flat seam, join right shoulder seam. With right side facing, using smaller hook and **C3**, work 1 row sc evenly around neck edge, working a multiple of 6 sts with 1 extra.

**2nd row** - (1sc, 1ch) in first sc, 1dc in each sc to end.

**3rd row** - 2ch, skip first dc, \* **FPdc**, **BPdc**, rep from \* to last 2 sts, **FPdc**, 1dc in turning ch.

**4th row** - 2ch, skip first dc, \* **BPdc**, **FPdc**, rep from \* to last 2 sts, **BPdc**, 1dc in turning ch.

**5th row** - 2ch, skip first dc, \* (**FPdc**, **BPdc**) twice, **FPdc**, skip 1dc, rep from \* to last 6 sts, (**FPdc**, **BPdc**) twice, **FPdc**, 1dc in turning ch. Fasten off.

**FINISHING**

DO NOT PRESS. Join left shoulder and neckband seam. Join side and sleeve seams. Sew in sleeves evenly.

**AUSTRALIAN SUPERFINE MERINO**  
by Cleckheaton

GROWN IN AUSTRALIA AND MADE BY:  
Wangaratta Woollen Mills



Machine washable, available in a range of beautiful colors. For more information go to

[joann.com/MerinoYarn](http://joann.com/MerinoYarn)

[cleckheatonsuperfine.com.au](http://cleckheatonsuperfine.com.au)



We have made every effort to ensure that these instructions are accurate and complete. We cannot be responsible for variations in individual work, human error or if yarn other than the recommended Cleckheaton yarn is used. This pattern is protected by copyright. Australian Superfine Merino by Cleckheaton 8 ply is a trade mark of Australian Country Spinners Pty Ltd. Yarn colors shown may vary slightly due to the printing process.